



General Assembly

January Session, 2007

Proposed Bill No. 975

LCO No. 1809

Referred to Committee on Planning and Development

Introduced by:
SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.

***AN ACT AUTHORIZING A MUNICIPALITY TO BRING AN ACTION TO
ABATE A PUBLIC NUISANCE.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That sections 19a-343 to 19a-343h, inclusive, of the general statutes
- 2 be amended to authorize a municipality to bring an action to abate a
- 3 public nuisance based on three or more arrests for the commission of
- 4 one or more of the offenses enumerated in section 19a-343 of the
- 5 general statutes that occur at an establishment that serves alcohol.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow for a faster abatement of a public nuisance such as gambling, prostitution or the illegal sale of drugs occurring at an establishment that serves alcohol by authorizing a municipality, in addition to state prosecutors, to bring an action to abate such nuisance.